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Dear Sir:

I am enclosing an original and ten copies of the Notice Of New York City Economic Development Corporation Of Withdrawal Of Request To Hold Proceeding In Abeyance in the above referenced proceeding. An additional copy is enclosed for date stamp and return to our messenger. Please note that a 3.5 inch diskette is enclosed with this document.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Alex Menendez

Counsel for the New York City Economic

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NOTICE OF NEW YORK CITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF WITHDRAWAL OF REQUEST TO HOLD PROCEEDING IN ABEYANCE

New York City Economic Development Corporation ("EDC"), acting in its capacity as contractor to the City of New York, NY with responsibility for managing properties that are involved in this proceeding, hereby files this notice withdrawing its request to hold this proceeding in abeyance.

Dated: July //, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that on this <u>II</u> day of July, 2006, a copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF NEW YORK CITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF WITHDRAWAL OF REQUEST TO HOLD PROCEEDING IN ABEYANCE was served by first class mail, postage prepaid, upon:

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